



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Customer No. 004372

Y. KATO

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Examiner: Joseph D. TORRES

For: TEST METHOD AND TEST

CIRCUIT FOR ELECTRONIC DEVICE

Docket No.: 108075-09034

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Director of the U.S. PTO P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

May 11, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment issued April 28, 2005 ("Notice") and pursuant to a telephone conference on May 10, 2005 between Examiner Torres and the undersigned, Applicant appreciates Examiner Torres advising that the Notice was issued in error. Therefore, Applicant requests that the Notice be withdrawn. and that timely prosecution of the present application be recommenced.

Furthermore, Applicant submits that the election based on the restriction requirement dated December 17, 2003 was made without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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